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Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the second full paragraph on page 5 of the original specification as follows:

Turning now to Fig. 1, there is shown a basic architectural system 100 of the present invention. A triangular base 101 comprises three nodes 110, 130, 150 namely C, A, and B respectively, and three complete struts 120, 140, 160, namely AC, AB, and BC respectively. Strut 120 engages nodes 110, 130 and is substantially aligned along axis 129. Strut 140 engages nodes 130, 150 and is substantially aligned along axis 149. Strut 160 engages nodes 110, 150 and is substantially aligned along axis 169. Base plane 199 contains the three axes 129, 149, 169 and their endpoints 119, 139, 159. An extension 102 comprises at least one complete strut 170 extending from the triangular base non-orthogonally (i.e. substantially aligned along an axis 179 forming a substantially acute angle 198 with base plane 199).